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CONGRESS PICKS GENERAL HUERTA

Special Session Elects Provisional President.

ACCUSES MADERO OF MURDER

Mexican Government Holds Former President Responsible for Death of Colonel Riveroll at Palace and He May Be Placed on Trial Instead of Deported From the Country.

Mexico City, Feb. 20.—General Victoriano Huerta was elected provisional president by congress at a special secret session. It has developed that the exile of Madero is not certain, for the present at least. At the instigation of the government Madero has been formally held responsible for the death of Colonel Riveroll, which occurred at the palace at the time of Madero's arrest. Conflicting stories are in circulation regarding the slayer of Riveroll, but it is officially stated that Madero shot him with a pistol.

Mexico City, Feb. 20.—Francisco I. Madero, deposed from the presidency, will be exiled. Arrangements have been made for his departure from the capital for Vera Cruz. From there he will sail for some European port.

Madero will be accompanied by his wife and perhaps by his father and other members of his family.

His loyal aid, Captain Federico Montes, also will go, but in the capacity of a guard. The party will proceed to Vera Cruz under escort.

The list of Americans wounded during the fighting in Mexico City was augmented in the last moments of the fighting when Miss Bertha Roberts was severely wounded by a fragment of shell and her father, Frederick Roberts, suffered a scalp wound from the same shot. The family have lived in Mexico City for years, coming originally from Maine. Another sufferer was Thomas Lason, whose mother lives in San Antonio. He was slightly wounded.

Cabinet Members Released.

The members of the cabinet and most of the other prisoners were released. Francisco Madero, Jose Pino Suarez, the vice president, and Federico Gonzales Garza, governor of the federal district, were the only important prisoners held.

General Huerta, who has assumed the post of governor general, and General Diaz had an extended conference, after which it was announced that they were in complete accord. Later General Huerta was in conference with the American ambassador, Henry Lane Wilson.

The rebel troops are not to be removed from their positions for two or three days, as disorders are feared. The authorities do not wish to give occasion for public manifestations.

Already forced to face plots the new administration caused the arrest of General Francisco Romero.

Romero is accused of complicity with Francisco Cosio Robelo in a new revolt. The plot involves a group of rurales.

TELEGRAPH IS CONGESTED

Mass of Commercial Messages Blocking News Dispatches.

New York, Feb. 20.—Although the censorship on dispatches from Mexico City was lifted soon after the change of government the greatest difficulty was experienced in getting news out of the capital regarding the latest occurrences there.

During the censorship dispatches and commercial telegrams accumulated in vast quantities and the reopening of the wires necessarily added greatly to the congestion, with the result that the overtaxed operators have hardly made a visible impression on the mass of dispatches awaiting transmission to all parts of the world.

The delay in the receipt of news dispatches from Mexico City was accounted for by the fact that many important government messages and commercial telegrams were given precedence.

MADERISTAS WILL REVOLT

Opinion in Northern Mexico Is War Will Continue.

Cananea, Mex., Feb. 20.—Developments in Mexico City seem to be viewed by prominent Mexicans here with apprehension and distrust, except by the followers of Diaz, who are pleased at the overthrow of Madero.

All declare, however, that anything is preferable to intervention by the United States.

The general belief is that the coup will not result in peace, but that the Maderistas will take up arms against the establishment of a military form of government, which appears likely and which only few Northern Mexicans appear to desire.

TO KEEP ARMY AND NAVY READY

American Officials Suspicious of Mexican Peace.

NO RECOGNITION FOR HUERTA

President Taft May Make Some Reply to Message From the Provisional President, but It Will Be of a Cautious Nature—Interest Centers in Coming Presidential Election.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Reaction from the severe strain under which the diplomatic, military and naval branches of the government have been laboring for the last ten days because of the Mexican revolt was marked by comparative lethargy.

A hasty consultation between the heads of the various departments, conducted to some extent by subordinates, resulted in a general decision to maintain the existing attitude toward Mexico, in a diplomatic sense, and in so far as the preparation of the army and navy to meet any emergency that might arise is concerned.

Though naturally gratified at the termination of the almost continuous battle that has raged within the heart of Mexico City for so long it was deemed to be unwise to permit that sentiment to affect the progress of arrangements that are being made to protect adequately the lives of foreigners in Mexico in case the situation should get beyond control of the new temporary government.

Original orders to the army officers to have the soldiers ready to move at short notice and to the transports to proceed to their assigned destinations, where they were to embark troops and marines, were allowed to remain in force, officials reasoning that some benefit is to be derived from the experience that is gained through this attempt at mobilization, even if there should be no occasion to give it a practical turn.

Taft May Reply to Huerta.

Probably some reply will be made by President Taft to the personal message from General Victoriano Huerta, who signed himself commander-in-chief, announcing that he had overthrown the Madero government, but it will be of such a nature as not to constitute a political recognition of the new government. Ambassador Wilson is expected to communicate freely with Military Governor Huerta to transact the ordinary business of the embassy.

Within a week, at the longest, the new Mexican congress should be in session, in conformity with the call just issued by the military governor. Upon the extent to which General Huerta and his group transfers to congress the powers of government will depend the attitude of the United States toward the de facto government of Mexico.

If constitutional forms are observed, if the congress is allowed without duress to discharge its lawful duty of selecting a provisional president, if in an orderly way the congress provides for the holding of general elections throughout Mexico after a reasonable period of time, at which all the people may have a free chance to indicate their choice for permanent president, the Washington government's decision can be relied upon to give cordial and sympathetic support to the efforts of those now in control in the Mexican capital to establish a government on a permanent basis.

Meanwhile the attitude of the administration here will remain one of passive though interested observation. The Washington government's decision can be relied upon to give cordial and sympathetic support to the efforts of those now in control in the Mexican capital to establish a government on a permanent basis.

POET'S BODY IS CREMATED

Joaquin Miller's Ashes Will Be Scattered to Winds.

Oakland, Cal., Feb. 20.—The body of Joaquin Miller, the "Poet of the Sierras," was reduced to ashes here, the funeral ceremony being unostentatious as the life of the poet.

Part of the ashes will be scattered to the wind at "The Heights," the poet's home, and the rest will be placed in a rock mausoleum built by the poet himself. This was in accordance with his oftentimes expressed wish.

THOUSAND BUILDINGS BURN

Churches and Schools Among Destroyed Structures in Tokio.

Tokio, Feb. 20.—A great fire which occurred in the center of Tokio destroyed a thousand buildings. These included several churches, the Baptist tabernacle, the Salvation Army hall, the school of foreign languages and several other schools.

The fire burned fiercely for five hours and troops were called out to guard the section.

Convicted of Embezzlement. Waterloo, Ia., Feb. 20.—E. A. Boggs of Waterloo, a tombstone dealer, who borrowed \$200,000 from Iowa banks largely on his reputation as a church worker, was found guilty of embezzlement at Grundy Center.

GOVERNOR COLQUITT.

Calls the Federal Policy Toward Texas an Outrage.



COLQUITT READY TO ACT

Texas Governor Calls Federal Policy Toward State an Outrage.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 20.—Governor Colquitt of Texas sent a telegram to United States Senator Culberson in which he asserted that "the present federal policy toward this state is an outrage," and urged that efforts be made to have additional United States troops assigned to patrol duty along the Mexican-Texas border.

"If I am compelled to take the situation in hand I will do so vigorously," said the governor in his telegram. "Definite action should be taken by the federal government and protection given by garrisons of troops, or the government should advise us that nothing will be done and let us look out for ourselves. We will not hesitate to protect our people if we can be advised that the federal government will not do so."

SAY HUERTA IS UNPOPULAR

Rebels Doubt His Ability to Control Situation.

El Paso, Feb. 20.—While rejoicing at the overthrow of Madero rebel agents here and Diaz sympathizers among the Mexican army officers at Juarez express doubt of the ability of General Huerta to handle the situation. Doubt was expressed over press dispatches saying that General Diaz had accepted the Huerta claim to the provisional presidency.

Huerta is not popular in Northern Mexico, his administration as commander of the Northern military zone having resulted in much ill feeling among officers and civilians.

HUERTA ORDERS EXECUTION

Brother of Former President Madero Put to Death.

Mexico City, Feb. 20.—Gustavo Madero, brother of Francisco Madero, deposed president of the Mexican republic, was taken from prison and executed at the order of General Huerta.

Gustavo Madero was known as the "most hated man in Mexico." His appointment as minister of finance in the cabinet created the greatest ill feeling throughout the country. It was charged that it was due to his influence that President Madero refused to carry out his pledge to the people as to the distribution of lands.

UNDERWOOD POINTS OUT NEED OF ACTION

Urges House to Pass Appropriation Measures.

Washington, Feb. 20.—With the house in a tangle of congested appropriation bills Democratic Leader Underwood lectured the Democrats on the necessity for speedy action on the supply measures.

In the course of a colloquy with Minority Leader Mann and Representative Roddenberry of Georgia, the latter filibustering against the appropriation bills, Mr. Underwood declared emphatically it was not the wish of President Elect Wilson that this year's appropriation bills go over to the Democratic administration.

"It is understood generally on this side of the house," said Mr. Mann, "and also on the other side of the house, that it was the inspiration of the Democratic president elect to prevent the passage of these appropriation bills at this session of congress."

"I am not here," Mr. Underwood replied, "with any authority to speak for the next president, but I will say, without having any special authority, that I am firmly convinced that any such statement attributed to the next president is absolutely erroneous."

MORGAN'S ILLNESS SERIOUS

Began on Trip From America and Is Aggravated by the Cold.

Calro, Feb. 20.—The seriousness of the illness which J. Pierpont Morgan is suffering is now admitted. It began on the journey from America. It was hoped that the illness would disappear quickly in Egypt, but the cold on the Nile aggravated it.

It is stated that Mr. Morgan cannot expect a rapid recovery. He has been out on special rigid diet.

WOULD CHANGE POSTAGE RATES

Many Ask Reduction of First Class Charge.

BOURNE OPPOSES MEASURE

Plan to Put Two Cent Matter Down to 1 Cent and Raise Second Class Up to 2 Cents Rouses His Strong Contention—He Writes a Circular Letter on Subject.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Feb. 20.—[Special.]—One cent postage on letters will mean two cent postage on newspapers and periodicals. At least the postmaster general urges such an increase in the second class rate in order that one cent postage may be made possible. The various organizations which are pouring in petitions upon congress for one cent postage often call attention to the need of increasing the second class rate in order to make up the difference.

Chairman Bourne of the senate post-office committee does not favor the one cent proposition. In a circular letter which he has written in reply to advocates of the reduced rate he shows that the United States has a lower rate of postage than all other countries when distance is considered. No country except Japan has a lower letter rate than 2 cents. Japan's rate is 2.5, with greatest distance carried 1.25 miles, although the average is comparatively short. Concluding his circular, Senator Bourne says, "It is apparent that the service rendered for a two cent charge is greater than that rendered in any other country."

Bristow's Opposition.

Senator Bristow, who was for several years connected with the postoffice department, is opposed to the reduction of the first class rate to 1 cent and the increase of the second class rate to 2 cents a pound. "It means that the big concerns, corporations, business houses, banks and, in fact, every company doing a big business and using the mails will be benefited, while the people of the country as a whole will save virtually nothing from a reduced letter rate. It means an increase on second class matter, to which I am opposed."

Going Through the Motions.

The passing of appropriation bills each year scarcely varies in the form of entertainment it affords. The members go through the motions in about the same way, these consisting of knocking out all legislation and increases of salaries by points of order and their restoration by the senate and finally an agreement in conference on the increases.

The men on the appropriations committees who put the legislation and the increased salaries in the bill in the first place are always conferees, and of course they yield to the pressure of the senate as that pressure leads to exactly what they want. Meanwhile the men who have been busy with points of order have made a reputation for economy.

Real Smoked Meats.

Better meat inspection was demanded by Fowler of Illinois when the agricultural bill was considered. He told how the meats were now so badly preserved that much was unfit to eat, and one had to "hold his nose at the table" when the meat was placed before him. Well, they had considerable fun with Fowler, first and last, over his boarding house and how he lived.

"What we should have is a return to the old farm smoke houses," said Fowler, "when meat was cured with sawdust and hickory."

"Or corn cobs," remarked Hamilton of Michigan, and Fowler assented.

Ready to Fight.

Senator Ashurst of Arizona is ready for a fight. The other day he wanted the names attached to a petition printed in the Record, but objection was made. Then he moved to have the names printed, remarking, "I do this to accentuate the fact that there is one rule here for one senator and then another rule for a different senator." Finally he had his way.

Sleep, Gentle Sleep.

Sloan of Nebraska and Fowler of Illinois were having a war of words. "The gentleman from Nebraska must have been asleep when I made my statement," said Fowler.

"I have not been asleep," replied Sloan. "I admit that the gentleman's speeches are the greatest anesthetic known, surpassing ether and chloroform, but he did not put me to sleep this afternoon."

Making Progress.

Congress having gone so far as to prohibit the intermarriage of negroes and whites there is hope among citizens of the District of Columbia that the time may come when a Jim Crow car service may be established. All around the city of Washington laws are in effect which require a separation of the races in public conveyances.

If congress ever gets to the point of passing a Jim Crow car law for the District we might expect that there would be a possibility of enacting a law which would give the people of the District the franchise and by some method shut out the large ignorant negro population, which is the sole reason why the seat of government is not self governing.

Blue Coral.

Blue coral, which is probably the most precious kind, is fished up in the bay of Benin.

MRS. E. PANKHURST.

Says She Is to Blame for a Bomb Explosion.



MRS. PANKHURST TO BLAME

Says She Is Personally Responsible for Lloyd-George Bomb.

Cardiff, Wales, Feb. 20.—"We have blown up the chancellor of the exchequer's house," Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst said, addressing an enthusiastic meeting of suffragettes here. "The authorities need not look for the women who actually did it. I personally accept full responsibility for it."

Mrs. Pankhurst said that if she were sent to penal servitude she would go on hunger strike.

"The government then will have to set me free," she added, "or let me die. If I drop out a hundred women are ready to take my place."

ONE DISTRICT ALONE PAID ABOUT \$250,000

Startling Revelations Regarding New York Graft.

New York, Feb. 20.—Additional figures to show the enormous proportions of alleged graft payments to the police were obtained by District Attorney Whitman. Twenty saloon and hotel keepers were questioned and one, Leroy Wilkins, a negro, later appeared before the grand jury to which he repeated his statements that he was assessed from \$60 to \$100 a month by the police for protection.

The evidence that the district attorney has been gathering will be laid before the extraordinary grand jury. It will show, according to the district attorney, that more than 300 saloons and hotels—many of which violated no law—and disorderly resorts paid regularly every month for freedom from police interference. The total revenue from these places is estimated by the district attorney at about \$250,000 a year from this one inspection district.

WAR SIGNAL FOR STRIKE

Illinois Miners Pass Socialist Resolution to Quit Work.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 20.—In unanimously adopting a resolution introduced by one of the local unions, represented and backed by 6,000 miners in the Northern district of Illinois, the Illinois state miners' convention, in session here, provided that the 82,000 miners in the state go on record as favoring a general strike whenever war is declared either by or against the United States.

The Socialist wing of the convention carried matters by storm in the discussion.

The government, the standing army and the so called "capitalist press" were bitterly scored by the speakers.

SECOND MILK CONVICTION

Minneapolis Company and President Found Guilty.

Minneapolis, Feb. 20.—The Minneapolis Dairy company and its president, Oscar Erickson, were found guilty by a jury of having conspired with other Twin City dealers to raise the price of milk and cream in violation of the state anti-trust laws.

They were the second of the so called milk trials, the first, which also resulted in a conviction, was that of the Minneapolis Milk company and its president, A. R. Ruhnke. Six other firms and as many individuals remain to be tried on similar charges.

The maximum penalty that may be imposed is a fine of \$5,000 or five years in state prison, or both.

SMITH WANTS MORE TIME

Asks Senate to Extend Period for Probing Border Troubles.

Washington, Feb. 20.—A resolution to extend until next December the period of activity of the senate special committee appointed to investigate alleged support by Americans of the revolutionary forces in Mexico was introduced in the senate by Senator Smith of Michigan, with the endorsement of the senate committee on foreign relations.

The resolution states that the committee has found it impossible to complete its work. Senator Smith probably will have one or two more witnesses before the committee within the next few weeks.

COMPLETE FIRST DRAFT OF BILL

AFTER STRENUOUS DEBATE

Minnesota House Passes Bill Affecting Woodmen.

St. Paul, Feb. 20.—The Woodmen "emancipation" bill passed the house after a strenuous debate, 68 to 47. D. P. O'Neill, author of the bill, with G. B. Bjornson led the fight for it, while A. C. Finke and others spoke against it. The bill if passed by the senate and signed by the governor will permit insurgent lodges of the Modern Woodmen of America to secede and form an independent order in Minnesota on condition that its present insurance rates be increased 50 per cent.

The senate in committee of the whole recommended to pass the bill by Representative Porter allowing ten members of a jury to bring in a verdict, where the jury has been unable to reach a unanimous decision after being out twelve hours. The bill as it passed the house set the limit at six hours, but the senate judiciary committee amended it so as to double the time limit.

Governor Eberhart announced the appointment of Ralph W. Wheelock to succeed P. M. Ringdal of Crookston on the state board of control and of George F. Authier, a Minneapolis newspaper man, as successor to Mr. Wheelock as private secretary to the governor.

FORCE COAL TRUST CASES

Government to Sue Roads Under Sherman Law.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The federal government has not abandoned its pursuit of the so called hard coal trust, according to indications here, but has decided to deal with the situation through attacks under both the Sherman anti-trust law and the commodities clause of the interstate commerce act.

The suits under the "commodities clause" alone against the Philadelphia and Reading and other coal carrying railroads have been dismissed, it is believed, to clear the way for consideration of the question under both statutes.

WILSON SIGNS TRUST BILLS

Six New Jersey Laws Go Into Effect at Once.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 20.—Governor Wilson signed the seven anti-trust bills by the legislature, which were drafted at his request.

With one exception the bills become effective at once.

The main bill defining trusts and prohibiting agreements and acts designed to directly or indirectly restrain trade, and making officers and directors of corporations criminally responsible for violations of the act, will go into effect July 4.

Three Given Life Imprisonment.

Cleveland, Feb. 20.—Ed McManara, Ed Gallagher and James Kelley, three auto bandits, who killed Patrolman Le Roy Bouker here Thanksgiving eve, pleaded guilty to second degree murder and were sentenced to life imprisonment.

Sounded Ominous.

"Your father said something about my staying so late last night, didn't he?" asked the young man.

"Yes," replied the dear girl, "he did say something, but I don't know just what he meant. He said if you didn't go home earlier hereafter there'd be a kick coming from him."—Philadelphia Press.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Feb. 20.—Cattle—Steers, \$8.25@8.75; cows and heifers, \$6.99@7.99; calves, \$8.00@9.00; feeders, \$4.50@7.25. Hogs—\$8.10@8.15. Sheep—Lambs, \$6.00@7.25; wethers, \$4.00@5.50; ewes, \$3.50@4.25.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Feb. 20.—Wheat—To arrive on track—No. 1 hard, 87½¢; No. 1 Northern, 86½¢; No. 2 Northern, 82½¢; May, 88½¢@88½¢; July, 89½¢@89½¢. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.34½¢; May, \$1.35½¢; July, \$1.37½¢.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Wheat—May, 92½¢@92½¢; July, 91½¢@91½¢; Sept., 90½¢. Corn—May, 51½¢@52¢; July, 53¢; Sept., 54½¢@54½¢. Oats—May, 34¢; July, 34½¢; Sept., 34¢. Pork—May, \$19.80; July, \$19.70@19.72. Butter—Creameries, 28¢@35½¢. Eggs—13¢@18½¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 21¢; chickens, 12½¢; springs, 14½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Cattle—Reeves, \$6.65@9.00; Texas steers, \$5.20@6.00; Western steers, \$5.50@7.05; stockers and feeders, \$6.00@7.00; cows and heifers, \$3.15@7.40; calves, \$7.00@10.50. Hogs—Light, \$8.20@8.45; mixed, \$8.15@8.45; heavy, \$7.95@8.40; rough, \$7.95@8.10; pigs, \$6.40@8.25. Sheep—Native, \$5.00@6.50; yearlings, \$6.65@7.85; lambs, \$7.25@8.85.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Feb. 20.—Wheat—May, 87½¢; July, 89½¢. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, 84½¢; to arrive, 86½¢@87½¢; No. 2 Northern, 84½¢@85½¢; No. 3 Northern, 82½¢@83½¢; No. 4 corn, 42¢@43½¢; No. 3 white oats, 30½¢@31¢; to arrive, 30½¢; No. 3 oats, 28½¢@29½¢; barley, 43¢@57¢; flax, \$1.33½¢; to arrive, \$1.34½¢.

House Democrats Prepare Tariff Revision Measure.

CAREFULLY GUARDING RATES

Extreme Care Being Taken to Prevent

Figures From Becoming Public—New Schedules Are Said to Be Radically Lower Than Those in the Present Law.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The first draft of the Democratic tariff revision is ready. The Democratic members of the ways and means committee, to quote Chairman Underwood, "have voted on every rate from agate to zinc." The first draft of the new schedules has been sent to the government printing office.

No more meetings of the Democratic tariff makers will be held until after March 4. Then Mr. Wilson will be in the White House and it is a safe assumption that the first draft of the new law will be submitted to him before the committee begins the second reading.

The Democrats are guarding with extreme care the tentative rates upon which they have decided. Not one of the fourteen tariff makers has thus far divulged a single rate or even given a hint as to what they are, although certain general information has leaked out of the committee room in various ways.

It is known that the new schedules are on the whole radically lower than the present law. In some instances the rates of the Underwood bills of the last session have been cut still lower.

The call for a caucus of the Democrats of the new house has gone out. This will be held on March 5, when the Democrats will organize and name their new ways and means committee, which also will be the committee on committees.

Underwood Will Be Chairman.

It is regarded as a foregone conclusion that Mr. Underwood will succeed himself as chairman of the committee and ex officio house leader. But it is known that the smiling Alabamian is not having things entirely his own way in the committee and a fight is likely to develop over the selection of new members of the committee.

Rumors of friction among the Democratic members of the committee fill the air. It was stated in several quarters that so serious has the situation become that the committee agreed to let matters rest until after the new members are elected by the caucus.

Three new members are to be chosen by the caucus, due to the retirement from congress of Representatives Brantley of Georgia and Randall of Texas and the promotion to the senate of Representative Oille James of Kentucky.

According to one representative the Democratic tariff makers, when making up the first draft of the new schedules, struck a snag in the cotton and woolen schedules and several times Mr. Underwood was outvoted by the radicals, who want to reduce rates below what he considers a safe figure. It is said that Mr. Underwood lost by one vote in an effort to prevent a sweeping cut of the rates on hosiery.

Mr. Underwood is authority, however, for the statement that no serious troubles have beset the committee.

TO CONFIRM NOMINATIONS

Senate Willing to Approve Some of Taft's Appointments.

Washington, Feb. 20.—No longer fearful of the possibility of having the senate enter upon a general confirmation of the pending nominations of President Taft, Democratic senators have decided to move an executive session at the first opportunity.

"We will confirm the army, navy and diplomatic nominations and possibly some others," said Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia, in announcing the decision of his party associates. "We have been willing from the first to go that far, but we were determined not to be forced into the consideration of the entire list contrary to our own wishes."

Robbers Mutilate Chinese.

Butte, Mont., Feb. 20.—Hun Lee, a Chinese found murdered in a cabin near Deer Lodge, apparently was the victim of horrible atrocities in an effort to compel him to divulge the hiding place of his money. His fingers were cut off, his neck twisted, and ears slit.

Snow Falls in Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Feb. 20.—Snow fell in Los Angeles for the first time in many years. Only a trace was recorded at the weather bureau, where

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THE WEATHER

Temperature record taken at Gull lake dam, by caretaker, Arthur L. Jampel.
February 19, maximum 32 above, minimum 22 above.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

For ice cream phone Turner Bros.—Adv. 218-1m
Sulphuro, at H. P. Dunn's.—Adv. t2
Carl Neumann of Minneapolis, is in the city.

Wesley Curo of Jenkins, is in the city on business today.
Miss Della Ragan returned today from a visit at Fergus Falls.

Miss Genevieve Cullen of Duluth, is visiting relatives in the city.

Constable Mike Lamey brought a prisoner to the county jail this noon.

Judge A. R. Holman of Pequot, is in the city attending to legal matters.

Remember our White Sale closes Saturday. B. Kaatz & Son.—Adv. t

Mrs. August Hallquist was expected home from St. Cloud this afternoon.

Henry Caron and M. E. Scott, the organizer of the Moose lodge, went to Crosby today.

B. C. Middlemiss, of Hibbing, was in Brainerd today. He is a prominent mining man.

J. Tracy Hale, Jr., of Minneapolis, connected with the Minneapolis Tribune, was in Brainerd today.

Miss Jule Fitzharris, who has been visiting her brother, W. E. Fitzharris, returned today to Minneapolis.

Farm loans for farms by a farmer. R. R. Livingston, Telephone 414-3.—Adv. 173d-1wtf

Marriage licenses were issued February 19 to Tony Scalucci and Jessie Leibold, to Carl Fritz and Henrietta Wachholz.

Leslie Bush went to Merrifield to see his friend Quinn Parker. Mr. Bush leaves in a short time to join the Philadelphia Athletics at St. Louis.

Wm. Nelson, secretary of the water and light board, has returned

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She tried and tried, this thing, that thing, then the other thing. All no good. Then she thought of Hall's Hair Renewer. Talked with her doctor about it. Then bought it, used it. Her hair stopped falling out at once. Now she is telling her friends. No coloring or staining of the hair, either.

from a trip to Minneapolis where he attended to business matters for the board.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Lyddon on Grove street. Visitors are always welcome.

Charles G. Osterlund of Deerwood, secretary of the Deerwood Commercial club, arrived in the city to attend the good roads meeting at the Commercial club this evening.

Mrs. J. A. Fuller of Albert Lea, who will give the talk on "Orchestra Music" at the Friday afternoon program of the Brainerd Musical club, will be the guest of Miss Mary A. Scott.

Danile DeLury of Waiata, and E. L. Forbes of Pine River, are in the city and will argue in the district court chambers before Judge W. S. McClenahan the case of Hanson vs French.

Mrs. A. W. Larson and children, formerly of Brainerd, have been visiting her mother and sister at Staples for two weeks. They returned on Wednesday to their home in Garrison, N. D.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for quality. Order a case. Telephone 164. John Coates Liquor Co.—Adv. t

The Young Peoples society of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church will meet this evening at the home of John Larson, Norwood street, leaving at 7:30 for the mill district where they will hold a young peoples meeting.

Rev. Elbert E. Satterlee, of the Methodist church, will deliver this evening an illustrated lecture on "Japan and the Japanese," 100 colored slides being shown. Admission is free and the public is cordially invited. The lecture commences at 7:30.

On Tuesday, February 25, the Eagles lodge will initiate a class of 65. The occasion will be made an event of great interest in the order. Following the initiation ceremonies refreshments will be served. There will also be a musical and literary program. On March 25 the order will initiate another class.

"A Soldier's Furlough"

Is the Excellent Dramatic Feature

At The
EMPRESS
Tonight

A chimney fire early Wednesday morning called the fire department to the south end of South Seventh St. No damage was done by the blazing chimney and no water was turned on. A chimney fire was the occasion of an alarm at 8 P. M. last night, calling the department to the Cale block. No damage was done in this instance too.

The Presbyterian club will meet Friday evening at the home of Mrs. C. D. McKay. The program includes a solo by John Bye, piano solo by Miss Gladys Alger, song by Miss Muriel Anderson, Scotch solo by Peter Brown, piano duet by the Misses Georgia Sherlund and Louise Koppel, recitation by Mr. Bowles and a solo by Miss Eleanor Baker.

Dance at Gardner's hall by the Brainerd City band Friday evening, Feb. 21. Tickets \$1.00. 22013

The case of E. Dingman vs W. G. Mills, R. Mills, Emma Mills, Myrtle Mills and Winifred Dingman occupied most of the morning at the municipal court. The suit was in the nature of a replevin action to recover possession of household goods taken from the home of plaintiff by his wife, Winifred Dingman. The family lives three miles east of Merrifield. The value of the furniture involved is about \$50. J. Henry Long represented Dingman and Swanson and Swanson the numerous defendants. Judge J. H. Warner took the case under advisement.

E. G. Ingalls and W. G. Young of the Crosby Commercial club and Frank Buchanan of the Cuyuna Commercial club returned yesterday from the state capitol where they did valiant service in the fight against the tonnage tax bill. "It speaks well for Crow Wing county" said Mr. Ingalls, "that the Cuyuna range was represented and the fact that Brainerd, Cuyuna, Crosby, Deerwood and Ironton had delegates on the ground tended to convince members of the legislature that we were alive to the interests of northern Minnesota, that we were fighting for our rights."

No Need to Stop Work

When the doctor orders you to stop work it staggers you. I can't, you say. You know you are weak, run down and falling in health day by day, but you must work as long as you can stand. What you need is Electric Bitters to give tone, strength and vigor to your system, to prevent break down and built you up. Don't be weak, sickly or ailing when Electric Bitters will benefit you from the first dose. Thousands bless them for their glorious health and strength. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c at H. P. Dunn's.—Adv. t2

Secreted Wealth.
The secreted savings of the natives of India are believed to amount to something like \$1,500,000,000 in gold alone.



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Exclusive **MUNSING** for Women
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Union Suits, Pants and Vests in all colors and in all sizes for girls and ladies. Sizes in 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44.

Your Choice 75c while they last.

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SEE OUR
WINDOWS

ROSS LAKE

Peter Johnson spent Saturday at Keelers.

James Toudt had one his horses badly injured by being kicked by its team mate, the shoes making two bad cuts on the hip and flank. Dr. James Toudt took nine stitches in the cuts and reports his patient as doing very well.

Mr. John Moritz, Sr., called on the Bodle family Thursday.

John Moritz, Jr., is running the Bodle saw mill now.

Quite a snowstorm Friday evening. About two inches fell here.

Miss Gertrude Brady, Miss Edith Simpson and Mr. M. Simpson drove to Aitkin Friday evening, Miss Brady to visit her home at Brainerd and the other two intending to visit at Aitkin.

Guy Snodgrass of Mud Brook, is working for the Woodson Brothers at present.

Ole Hallin and Bill Keeler came home from Little Pine to spend Sunday.

MISS PRIMROSE.

Are You a Cold Sufferer?

Take Dr. King's New Discovery. The Best Cough, Cold, Throat and Lung medicine made. Money refunded if it fails to cure you. Do not hesitate—take it at our risk. First dose helps. J. R. Wells, Floydada, Texas, writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery cured my terrible cough and cold. I gained 15 pounds." Buy it at H. P. Dunn's.—Adv. t2

LAZZO FOR ENGLISH POLICE.

Authorities of Hull to Send Twenty Men to New Mexico.

The police authorities of Hull, England, are seriously considering sending men to the western part of America to take lessons in the cow country in the use of the lariat. A cow puncher has recently been in Hull giving exhibitions, and the police have been so much impressed that they have decided that it will be a good thing to have a number of their men trained to use the lasso, which, it is believed, will prove of value in saving drowning persons, stopping runaway horses, catching thieves and pickpockets and saving life at fires.

Twenty men have been selected from the Hull constabulary to go to America. It is expected to have them there in time for the spring roundup on Bar Seven ranch, at Albuquerque, New Mexico. The experiment is being watched with much interest by the London police, who are considering adopting it for the regulation of motor traffic if it proves successful at Hull.

Girl Wives of India.
Of girls in India who have not completed their fifth year more than 300,000 are wives and nearly 18,000 are widows, while approximately 9,500,000 girls fifteen years of age and under have entered the married state.

Dr. King's New Discovery

Soothes irritated throat and lungs, stops chronic and hacking cough, relieves tickling throat, tastes nice. Take no other; once used, always used. Buy it at H. P. Dunn's.—Adv. t2

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jan. 29.

W. E. Dean and wife to Henry E. Dean w½ nw, se of nw, and lot 1 of 33-138-25 wd \$1100.

Henry E. Dean and wife to George H. Crosby w½ nw, se of nw, fri nw of se or lot 1 of 33-138-25 wd \$1 etc.

E. E. French and wife to Investors Security Co. ne of ne of 10-136-28 wd \$1 etc.

W. G. Hoerr and wife to Harry A. Pinch n½ nw of 10-136-29 qcd \$1 etc.

Grafton Mason and wife to Crow Wing Realty Co. und. 1-16 of ne, e½ nw, e½ sw, nw of nw of 3-45-30; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, e½ se of 3-45-30; lots 1 and 2 of 7-45-30; all of section 9-45-30; n½ nw, w½ sw of 11-45-30; n½ se, s½ of ne of 17-45-30; sw, w½ se, lots 2, 3, 5, se of nw, sw of ne of 1-46-30; lots 1 and 2 and e½ ne of 11-46-30; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, s½ sw, se of 27-46-30; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, e½ sw, ne, se of 27-46-40; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, e½

sw, ne, se of 33-46-30; sw of ne, s½, s½ of nw, nw of nw of 35-46-30 wd \$1.

John McAlpine and wife to Grafton Mason und. 1-16 of same description as above wd \$10.

Harry A. Pinch single to Frank Christianson n½ nw of 10-136-29 wd \$500.

Jan. 30

Thomas W. Anderson and wife to Julia Narverson sw of ne, se of nw, ne of sw, nw of se of 4-43-29 spl, wd \$1 etc.

Alice M. Brownrigg and husband to Fred J. Reid w½ sw of 30-43-31 qcd \$1 etc.

Robert E. Clark single to Della Depue s½ of lot 4 blk. 9 East Brainerd wd \$1.

Mike Miller and wife to Robert E. Clark s½ lot 4 blk. 9 East Brainerd qcd \$200.

Lucinda Onstine widow, to W. H. Onstine lots 1, 2 and 3 blk. 17 Schwartz Addn. spl wd \$1 etc.

Florence M. Parker widow; Claude L. Parker and wife, Earl S. Parker and wife and Florence S. Parker single, to Fred J. Reid w½ sw of 30-43-31 qcd \$1 etc.

Fred J. Reid and wife to Frank Veilleund und. ½ int. w½ sw of 30-43-31 qcd \$1 etc.

Carrie E. Reid and husband to Frank Veilleund und. ½ int. in sw 9-43-31 qcd \$1 etc.

Wesley E. Small unmarried to W. H. Onstine lots 1, 2, and 3 blk. 15 Schwartz's Addn. spl wd \$1 etc.

Title Security Abstract Co. to Hiram H. Thayer lots 2, 3, 5, ne of sw of 2-138-29 qcd \$210.61.

U. S. to Abner H. Edwards ne of 30-46-29 patent.

Ethelinda Wickham and husband to F. L. Pitt and W. S. Pitt sw of se of 24-45-29 wd \$1 etc.

Mothers Can Safely Buy

Dr. King's New Discovery and give it to the little ones when ailing and suffering with colds, coughs, throat or lung troubles, tastes nice, harmless, once used, always used. Mrs. Bruce Crawford, Niagara, Mo., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery changed our boy from a pale, weak, sick boy to the picture of health. Always helps. Buy it at H. P. Dunn's.—Adv. t2

WANTS

Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and one-half a cent a word for each subsequent insertion, strictly cash in advance, but no ad will be taken for less than fifteen cents.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Pan washer at Ransford hotel. 219t3

WANTED—Kitchen girl at West's restaurant. 220t3p

WANTED—Man and wife on farm. See R. R. Wise. 219t3

Woman wanted for kitchen work, good wages, Spalding hotel. 219tf

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Inquire Pearce millinery. 217tf

WANTED—Good girl to help at cooking. Good wages to right party. Depot Lunch room. 221tf

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. No washing; good wages; must be a good cook. Mrs. E. O. Webb, 411 Holly St. 216-tf

FOR RENT.

Furnished flats for light housekeeping in Pearce block. 219tf

FOR RENT—Four room flat, bath room in connection. Lagerquist block. 186tf

FOR SALE

USED AUTO—Albert Angel. 115tf

ENGINEERING

F. A. GLASS, Mining Engineer—Examinations, Directions of Explorations, Surveys and General Engineering. Glass' map of the Cuyuna is the best and is up to date covering mineral areas of Crow Wing, Aitkin, Morrison and Cass counties. Size 24x52 on paper \$4. Size 24x52 on cloth \$5.

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"A Soldier's Furlough"

Teeming with thrills and exciting situations. See the fight on top of a swiftly moving train. The plunge of an auto, and its passengers over a huge cliff. And the hand to hand struggle on a narrow trail along the mountain side, with the green valley a thousand feet below.

"The God Within"

A pretty and touching drama by the Biograph Co., with the moral, "In every human breast lives the eternal good."

"One on Willie"

Willie loses his girl, also loses his clothes, but its an ill wind that blows nobody good.

"The Possum Hunt"

An old colored man and his boys in pursuit of their favorite dish

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Adults 10c

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GOOD ROADS MEETING TODAY

Stereopticon Slides Exhibited at Grand Theatre at Three O'Clock This Afternoon

C. A. FORBES SPEAKS TONIGHT

At Informal Meeting of Brainerd Commercial Club Commencing at 8 P. M.

Charles A. Forbes of St. Paul, assistant engineer of the state highway commission, arrived in Brainerd Wednesday. He will speak at the Commercial club rooms this evening on the subjects of good roads. A large attendance is desired. Invitations to attend the meeting have been sent by Surveyor L. E. Garrison to each of the Commercial clubs on the Cuyuna range. The address is for the public, as every one is certainly interested in good roads.

At three o'clock this afternoon a stereopticon lecture was given at the Grand theatre by Mr. Forbes. The use of the theatre and moving picture machine was kindly given the committee. Paul Perkins, the manager of the Grand, like all other automobile enthusiasts, is interested in good roads and was glad to favor Mr. Forbes in this way.

The meeting at the Commercial club this evening should be well attended. Mr. Forbes is the secretary and treasurer of the Minnesota Surveyors and Engineers' society of Minnesota and well versed in the cause of roads, construction and maintenance.

ESDON ETCHINGS

Quite a number from around here went to Mr. Wunderlich's Feb. 11 for a surprise on the young people there. It is needless to say we had a fine time.

The Dorcas society met with Mrs. Elmer Workman the 12th. There was quite a goodly number there and had a pleasant meeting, both financially and socially.

Fred and Laura Bock invited a goodly number of their friends in the evening of Feb. 12th to help surprise Lew Becadey on his 27th birthday. He was quite properly surprised, as he had no idea of anything unusual happening. A fine supper was served and music, cards and games made the evening pass both quickly and pleasantly.

We are very sorry to hear that Mr. Gus Lusso is quite seriously sick again. He has been feeling much better for some time.

There was a surprise party at A. Stafford's Friday evening. There were plenty of people and everyone is sure of a cordial greeting and a good time there.

Walter Waffensmith is carrying mail this week.

The Larkin Soap club met with Mrs. J. Huseby last Tuesday evening. There were a few invited that don't belong but not a big crowd, as there are only supposed to be 10 or 20 members at the most. The evening was spent in dancing, taking orders, delivering products, supper and a general good time.

Mrs. Joe Bergfalk of Bay Lake, and two babies and Alma Maghan, are making a visit at R. J. Maghan's. Several of the ladies in the neighborhood invited themselves and spent last Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Maghan. Had a very pleasant afternoon.

Joe Goole is having a visit from his brother-in-law, Mr. Livingston.

Mrs. Fred Fleming gave a party recently. As we were not invited are unable to report proceedings so we don't know what they were.

John and Matt Berbie delivered a couple of loads of pigs which they sold at St. Mathias this week.

Mr. Judd Dye is teaching another week here in Eson, in Miss Dye's place.

Mrs. Chas. Fafense and sons are out from Brainerd on a visit to their many relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Hanson has been spending a week in Brainerd, but returned home a little too late to meet with the Soap club.

Oscar Hammett found some lady's fur neck piece the morning after the big New Year's dance at Albert Love's. He would gladly return same if he knew to whom it belonged.

A wolf killed one of Oscar Hammett's fine five-months old pigs the night of the Feb. 11th. The wolf chased and tore the old hog and the other five young ones, tore down the pen and made bad work generally.

The road overseer ordered out some of the men to help shovel out the roads after the wind a week ago Monday. It begins to look at present as if they might have to shovel the snow back again to make sleighing good, but possibly providence will take care of that part of the work and send another snow storm.

Bob Maghan was missed at the party at A. Stafford's and when questioned about it, said he was anticipating that new railroad there was so much talk about from Deerwood to Bay Lake, would get through in time to take him from his work at Mrs. Miller's to the party and it was too far to walk after he found out it wasn't coming at present.

Ed. Phillips has been sawing wood in this locality for J. L. Hammett, Alfred Gergan, Dan Chord and perhaps others.

Bert Hammett is at home again.

BEMIDJI TURNS DOWN MALZAHN

Special to Dispatch: Bemidji, Minn., February 20—Mayor F. M. Malzahn, running upon the socialist ticket for reelection, was defeated by William McQuaig, representing the reform element in politics. L. F. Johnson, who had the support of the so-called stalwart faction, was second in the race. McQuaig polled 455 votes, Johnson 284 and Malzahn 218. The contest for police judge brought out five candidates, A. M. Crowell receiving 181 votes, Simons 145, Gibbons 180, Brown 135 and Loud 44. Ray Murphy was elected alderman at large.

DEPOT PLANNED FOR BARROWS

Mr. Grimes of the Northern Pacific Railway Looks Over Various Sites for a Depot

ARE ERECTING MANY BUILDINGS

C. B. Peck of Duluth to Locate in Town—Hanna Co. to Build Boarding House

Barrows, Minn., February 20—Things are looking brighter than ever in Barrows. Mr. Grimes, of the Northern Pacific railway, was in town this week and looked over a site for a passenger and freight depot. He said he did not know whether they would build a brick or frame building, but thought it would be brick. Mr. Grimes was very much pleased with the growth of the town.

H. A. Peterson, the new live merchant, has moved his family to town. Mrs. Peterson says she likes Barrows very much.

C. B. Peck of Duluth, was in town Wednesday looking up a location for a confectionery store and pool room. Mr. Peck says Barrows has the foundation for a big city and he expects to be a resident of Barrows in a short time.

John Wahl of Duluth, visited Barrows Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. H. Stahl of Fort Ripley, were in town Wednesday and are figuring on building a hotel. They are very much impressed with the town and before they left they got R. Bergum, sales agent of the townsite company, to promise to get them a house until the hotel can be built.

Buildings are going up very rapidly but at that they are not being built fast enough to supply the demand.

R. Bergum reports the sale of many lots in the last week and says he has inquiries for lots and buildings every day.

A big boom is expected in the spring when the Hanna mine is expected to ship ore.

The contract for a large boarding house has been let by the M. A. Hanna Co. and work will start soon.

Marcus Grande reports he has contracts for the erection of several more residence buildings, some very modern in design, and two store buildings. He is just completing five two-story residences and has started five more of the same style. All of these houses are being wired for electric light, as Barrows expects to be getting current by spring from the Cuyuna Range Power Co. dam at the Crow Wing river.

Rudolph Klinskenberger and J. P. Ernst, officers of the First State bank of Barrows, are expected here the first of next week to open the bank.

There is considerable talk of starting a commercial club. This proves that Barrows has a bunch of live ones.

EVERYBODY LIKES "MINNESOTA" SPAGHETTI

Those Brainerd housekeepers who are often puzzled about meals, should serve the deliciously appetizing "Minnesota" Spaghetti at least twice each week.

The whole family, and the men folks particularly, will like the delicious flavor of "Minnesota" Spaghetti, and it gives them strength and vitality without overloading the stomach. It is much better than so many heavy meals of meat.

And besides, "Minnesota" Spaghetti is so easy to prepare and you make a big saving in household expenses if you serve it often—it costs only about one cent a dish.

Insist on "Minnesota" Spaghetti—made from the VERY BEST DURUM wheat with ALL the nourishing Gluten left in.—Adv.

RESOLUTION

Be it Resolved, that the Water & Light board be and they hereby are authorized to expend not to exceed \$600 in the purchase and erection of a new smoke stack for the pumping station.

Adopted February 17th, 1913.

W. F. DIECKHAUS, Vice-President of the Council.

Attest: V. N. RODERICK, City Clerk.

Approved February 19th, 1913.

H. P. DUNN, Mayor.

Published February 20th, 1913.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

K. C.'S TO INITIATE A CLASS OF FIFTY

Knights of Columbus Initiatory Ceremonies and Banquet Sunday to be Attended by 300

MAYOR H. P. DUNN TOASTMASTER

Initiation at the Redmen Hall, Iron Exchange Building—Banquet at Citizens State Bank Hall

Sunday, February 23, will be a gala day in Knights of Columbus lodge circles. The K. C.'s, as they are familiarly called, will on that date initiate a class of 50 candidates recruited from Brainerd and sections of northern Minnesota.

The program for the day includes the attendance of the Knights at 8 o'clock Sunday morning at St. Francis Catholic church, where Rev. Father J. J. O'Mahoney will deliver a sermon appropriate to the day. The first degree will be emphasized at Redmen hall in the Iron Exchange building at 10 o'clock. The second degree will be given the candidates at 2 P. M. The third degree will be emphasized at 3:30 P. M. All the degree exercises take place in the Redmen hall.

At 7 P. M. a banquet will be served by the ladies of the parish at the Citizens State bank building. Mayor H. P. Dunn will officiate as toastmaster. The list of speakers, many being from outside councils, will be formulated Sunday morning.

Invitations have been sent to the councils of neighboring cities and the visitors will include delegations from Duluth, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Virginia, Hibbing, Wadena, Detroit, Staples, St. Cloud, Superior, Wis., Bemidji, Crookston, Fargo, N. D., Long Prairie, Melrose and other cities.

NEW BOOKS RECEIVED

List of Fine Fiction Placed on the Shelves of the Brainerd Public Library

Books recently added to the public library are:

John Ruskin ----- Benson
Among Country Schools ----- Kern
The Boy—How to Help Him Succeed ----- Fowler
Keeping up With Lizzie ----- Bacheller
Charge It ----- Bacheller
The Ordeal ----- Craddock
Cease Firing ----- Johnston
My Love and I ----- Redfield
Paul Carah—Cornishman ----- Lee
The Penny Philanthropist ----- Loughlin
Team Mates ----- Barbour
The Story of Little Black Sambo ----- Bannerman
Felicia's Friends ----- Gould
Felicia's Folks ----- Gould

Brainerd Musical Club

In order to enable members of the Brainerd Musical club and others to go to Little Falls to hear Christine Miller Saturday, February 22nd, the regular fortnightly program of the club will take place Friday afternoon at four o'clock at Elks hall. An excellent program has been provided as follows:

Violin solos ----- Mr. Jensen
(a) Berceuse from "Jocelyn" ----- B. Godard
(b) Romance ----- Svendsen
(c) Obertass Mazurka ----- Wieniawski
Piano solos ----- Miss Glass
Descriptive analysis by Mrs. Gemmell
(a) A. D. 1620 -----
(b) Song -----
From the MacDowell "Sea Pieces" -----
(c) Tarantella ----- Franz Liszt
(d) "Orchestra Music" -----
----- Mrs. J. A. Fuller, Albert Lea
Violin solos ----- Mr. Jensen
(a) The Son of the Pustta ----- Bela
(b) Legend ----- Wieniawski
Rondo Op. 73 ----- Chopin
1st piano ----- Miss Ora Glass
2nd Piano ----- Miss Jean Mosler
Descriptive analysis by Mrs. Gemmell

\$100 REWARD, \$100
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
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Take Hall Family Pills for constipation.

NORTH LONG LAKE

There was church in the Swedish Danish Lutheran church last Sunday morning.

Inga Jensen came out from Brainerd to spend Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Usher of Aitkin, was visiting her daughter Mrs. C. Skillings last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Handley spent Sunday at P. S. Taylors.

The farmers have been harvesting their ice.

There will be Sunday school March 2nd at 10:30 A. M. Everybody try and come.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Peterson and daughters Dora and Eliza, spent Monday evening at Hughie's.

Rachel Thompson spent last week in Brainerd visiting her sister, Mrs. J. D. Ackerson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Juline and daughter Hazel attended the wedding of Ellen Erickson and Joseph Sall last Saturday.

COUNTRY COUSIN.

END OF TONNAGE TAX

Legislative Reapportionment Will Give Northern Minnesota Votes to Bury it Deep

The Minnesota iron ore tonnage tax bill is now dead beyond resurrection. It will not make any more trouble for northern Minnesota—and by reason of the legislative reapportionment, under which northern Minnesota representation will be largely increased, the bill will have no chance at all at any future sessions.—Superior Telegram.

DUNN'S HIGHWAY BILL ELUCIDATED

Measure Places all State and County Road Work Under Centralized Responsibility

ADVANCES GOOD ROADS CAUSE

W. H. Campbell, New York, of Associated Motor Clubs, Describes Road Work in Detail

W. H. Campbell, of New York city, a member of the good roads board of the Associated Motor Clubs, of that city, was in Brainerd today and furnished the Dispatch the following article elucidating the Robert C. Dunn highway bill and also described the various phases of good road building, etc. Mr. Campbell says:

The highway bill which will be introduced in the house today or tomorrow, by Representative Robert C. Dunn of Princeton, will have the support of every good roads advocate in Brainerd and Crow Wing county.

Representative Dunn has given long and careful thought to the measure and the suggestions which he has received from this and other counties has been helpful in framing the bill. Gov. Eberhart who is a staunch good road booster has carefully revised the bill. The state engineers have also given it close study and it is not believed that it will be held up in committee very long. The measure places all the state and county road work under centralized responsibility. It wipes out all the existing road laws, calls for a standard set of specifications, sets aside a percentage for maintenance and on the whole, is designed to accomplish the construction of roads which will



Applying Liquid Binder to Road

View showing men pouring liquid bitumen to hold the stone in place. This is known as the penetration process.

not only meet with the present requirements of travel, but those of the future as well. Crow Wing county road advocates will make every effort to prevent distribution of the fund for political purposes, and will also urge the building of a state highway through this county.

Brainerd people should not let any opportunity escape to co-operate with the state good roads movement. The idea that good roads are a luxury has long since been exploded. Everybody, from the owner of a one-horse chaise to the owner of a 90 horsepower motor car, now realizes that good roads and good streets are the best investments that any city, county or state can make. It is fully realized that if there were more good roads entering into Brainerd, the bank account of every merchant would be boosted, because people living in the country could get to town whenever they so desire with their farm produce and return the same day with their city merchandise. It is also known that good roads would bring thousands of tourists to the city, that the money which these people spend would help to contribute to the general prosperity of the city.

There are many excellent suggestions in Representative Dunn's measure. One of these is the abolishing of the old system of allowing farmers to work their road tax. Hereafter this tax must be paid in cash. This will mean the building of better roads by competent road builders. It has been shown that many instances the work in this state has been of a make-shift order and that many counties were losing thousands of dollars every year in patch work and inferior construction. If the legislature decides to levy the full one mill tax which the people authorized at the last election, when they voted favorable on a constitutional amendment, the state will have a fund much larger than ever before. The one mill tax would produce considerable more than one million dollars. The levy this year is but one fourth of a mill.

The bill divides the state into (Continued on page four)

The New Wash Crepe A Very Popular Cloth For this Year

We now show you the new wash crepe for this season's wear. Of course you will be delighted with it. It is beautiful; it is serviceable; it is so adaptable to this season's styles and it is so reasonable in price.

We show a 40 inch quality in the best shades at 39c the yard. This cloth is one sure to please.

There are other qualities—beautiful ones too, and we are sure you will be pleased with what we offer you. May we not show you.

We give 25c Stamps

"MICHAEL'S"

ACCUSED OF AN ATTEMPT AT RAPE

Coburn Hillis of Crosby, Arrested in Deerwood on Complaint of Father of 13 Year Old Girl

JUSTICE WM. MALEY HEARS CASE

Hillis Bound Over to Grand Jury in \$500 Bonds—Other News Notes of Deerwood

Deerwood, Minn., February 20—Coburn Hillis, also known as Cobe Hillis, of Crosby, was arrested Tuesday in Deerwood on complaint of O. E. Cunningham who charged that Hillis attempted to commit the crime of rape on his 13 year old daughter, Opal May Cunningham. A hearing was held Wednesday and Justice William E. Mailey bound Hillis over to the grand jury under \$500 bonds. Opal Cunningham, at the examination, swore that she was 13 years old and was attending school. She had

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was put on the stand by his attorney, D. J. Severance, of Crosby. Hillis denied everything. County Attorney G. S. Swanson of Brainerd, appeared for the county and conducted a severe and searching cross examination.

The moving picture show inaugurated by William M. Kase of Ironton, is meeting with much success. The Commercial club met on Tuesday evening and adopted a resolution that the council submit to the voters at the next election the matter of voting bonds for water works and sewer system. Charles G. Osterlund is circulating petitions. Fifty voters, ten of whom must be freeholders, are necessary on the petitions. If successful in getting the requisite number of signers the ballots at the March 11 election will bear the questions:

"Shall the village issue bonds in the sum of \$15,000 for a water system?"

"Shall the village issue bonds in the sum of \$10,000 for a sewer system?"

The Commercial club has received plans and estimates from the Clausen Engineering company of St. Paul relative to the establishment of the water and sewer systems.

The country between Brainerd and Deerwood is fairly alive with chickens and when the passenger trains pass through one can see chickens rising in all directions.

The Commercial club sent a long telegram to Representative C. W. Bouck during the tonnage tax bill discussion and it was read by Chairman Warner at the committee meeting at the capitol.

C. J. Rathvon expects to open his hotel as soon as he can secure the necessary help. He is advertising for a cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Osterlund are suffering simultaneously with attacks of the grip.

On March 11 Deerwood township will vote at Coffin's hall and elect among other officers a supervisor to fill the term of F. V. Berglund, also voting on license or no license.

The Girls' club gave a Valentine tea last Thursday. The function was well attended. The decorations were beautiful, Valentines being a prominent feature.

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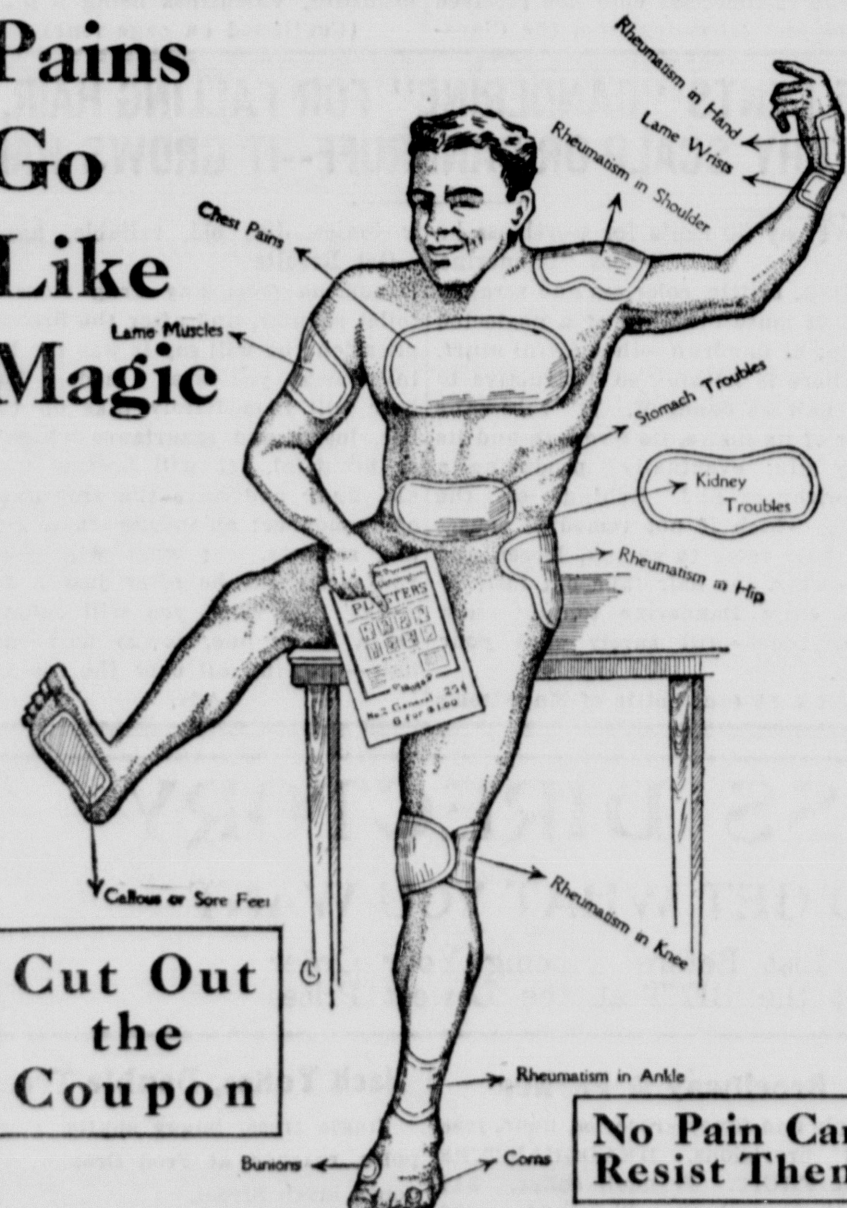
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Town Road Connecting With State Road
The building of state roads in the eastern states has stimulated the smaller towns to the importance of suburban highway connections with the main routes. This view shows a thoroughfare in Winsted, Conn. The work was done under the supervision of the state engineer's office.

DUNN'S HIGHWAY BILL ELUCIDATED

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four classes. These divisions are based on the assessed valuations by counties. The counties where the lowest valuations are given the benefit of the larger percentage.

Counties of the lowest assessed valuation, under terms of the bill are allowed 80 percent state aid. Counties of higher assessed valuation come in for a small percentage of state aid. The minimum is 50 percent. The state highway commission is constituted of appointees by Gov. Eberhart, and Mr. Dunn has been assured that the governor will give him all possible co-operation in carrying the bill along.

One important feature of the new bill is the provision for the employment of an engineer in each county. The present appropriation for that purpose is \$150,000.00 and its limitations necessitate a supervisor taking in several counties. The new bill would increase this to \$200,000 which would allow for personal supervision by counties.

The bill also provides for a liberal per cent for maintenance, something more or less neglected in the past. It also allows the expenditure of a percentage on roads other than state roads. The Trinidad and Bernadine specifications which have been so successful in the leading road building states like New York and Massachusetts, and which have been adopted as the standard specifications by the state engineers, are now being studied by officials all over Minnesota who want to build highways that will "stand up" under the constant pounding and pulling of heavy traffic.

That it is not well to mix politics with the highway work which is planned in Minnesota seems to be the

universal sentiment of all Brainerd advocates of better highways.

Crow Wing county apostles of better roads have declared for a clean, business like administration of all matters pertaining to this work and this sentiment has spread all over the state.

The close study of road and paving conditions which is being made by state and city engineers as well as by citizens who urge the building of good roads, will be acted upon by the legislature in a few days. In other states graft has been more or less associated with the road building and city paving. The materials have been found to be lacking in qualities which make a durable dustless highway or boulevard and in many instances the work of the contractor has been of the make-shift order.

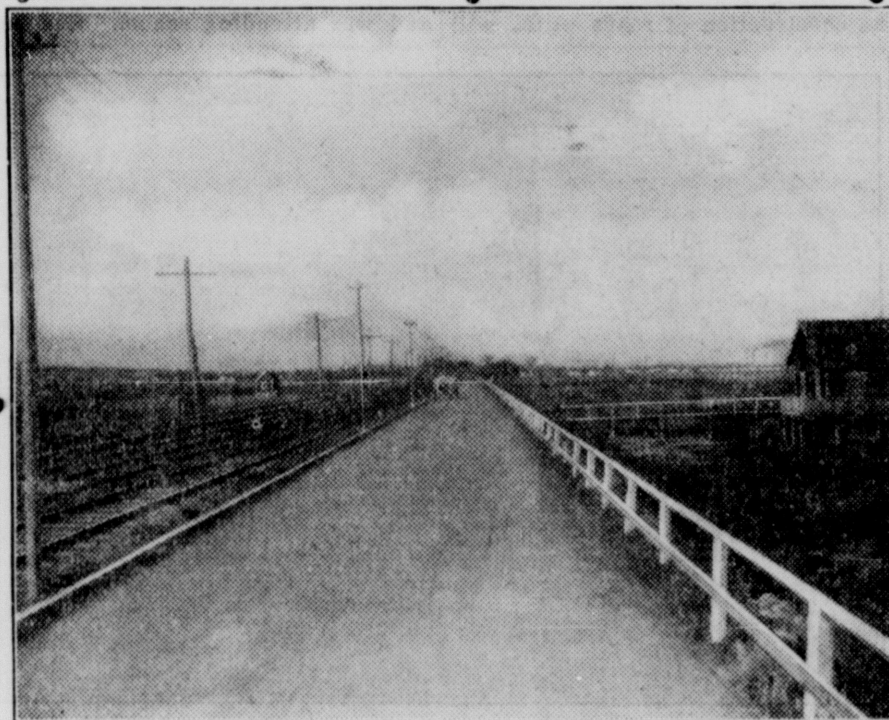
Many places in this state are about to build roads without doing business through a clique of politicians. It is believed that this system will revolutionize the paving and road business

authorities and the information which can be gleaned from these specifications will be helpful in the work which is planned here.

The building of a state highway through Crow Wing county would bring thousands of tourists into this city every year. This highway would stimulate the building of connecting highways and serve as a stimulus in the developing of a comprehensive road system.

Unless highway work is done under the state authority very little is accomplished. Township organizations fulfill a local want and with the materials and machinery at hand oftentimes perform good work, but it is purely of a local nature. Oftentimes money is wasted because of the lack of experience. The system of paying road taxes in labor is not considered a benefit to any county or state and the recommendation that the taxes be paid in cash has met with the general approval.

The farmers would be the ones who would profit most by good roads.



The Revere-Sangus Highway

This state road leads out of Boston and is one of the heaviest traveled highways in the United States. The cost per mile of this road was \$22,000. It has a concrete foundation on which is placed various sizes of rock. The rock is held firmly in place with natural bitumen.

and give the people, who must pay the bills, more for their money. The use of blown oils and paraffines and other highly distilled materials has proven costly to many cities and states because it has been found that they are without durability and have not the necessary cementing qualities to bind the street or road properly. This experience was universal in the east and it was not until a pure, natural bitumen was used that this waste was stopped.

Very often politicians discourage road building. When highway construction was started in nearly all of the leading road building states it was found that there were "jokers" in some of the specifications, and many contracts were "skimped" by the builders. The political organization, contractors and a few of the chosen others profited at the expense of the people.

When it was seen that the roads were fast going to pieces, under constant pounding and pulling of heavy traffic, there was a howl from the public and an investigation was started. In addition to showing that favoritism existed it was also brought out that the materials were not up to the standards necessary for a permanent road. The education which was gained through these investigations had its effect in the letting of city paving contracts and the selection of only those products which would not only meet the traffic requirements of the present, but those of the future as well.

Cheap pavements and cheap roads are not considered good investments by those who are best capable of judging. Maintenance upon them is usually excessively heavy and no matter how much is expended on a cheap pavement or road it always remains poor and sometimes an impassable highway.

By those who know it, it is claimed that Minnesota is going into the road building business on a scientific basis and that the mistakes which were made elsewhere will not be made here. The specifications of New York State, where natural lake asphalt is used as a binder for the stone and also for sheet asphalt surfaces, are now in the hands of the city engineers and the state highway

At present the state has very few good roads which are at the service of the farmer and the need of them is keenly felt. Highways which are passable at all seasons of the year have helped to reduce the high cost of living in many sections. When market conditions favor the farmer he is oftentimes prevented from getting to town because of the muddy roads, and should he make the effort it is necessary to use four or six horses to haul a load which two horses ordinarily would draw. The city merchant is also benefited because it makes his farming trade steady and enables him to buy his lots of merchandise with more certainty of regular sales.

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ACCUSED OF AN ATTEMPT AT RAPE

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inent feature. The occasion was in charge of the directors of the club and all the ladies of Deerwood had been invited. A luncheon and other refreshments were served. The guests were received by Mrs. P. A. Gough, president of the club. The tea tables were presided over by Mrs. J. T. Hale, Mrs. Culver Adams and Mrs. Charles G. Osterlund. Assisting in entertaining were Mrs. Searle, Mrs. Archibald, Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. P. K. Wetzel.

The junior sewing class of the Girls' club now has 15 members and they are being taught by Mrs. P. K. Wetzel, assisted by Mrs. P. A. Gough. The club has purchased a piano which is coming this week. Mrs. Gough will have charge of the music instruction. The library now numbers 200 volumes, of which 75 belong to the traveling library. Members of the Girls' club meet every Thursday afternoon and Friday evening. The club is commanding much attention in Deerwood and the people are becoming interested in it and are commending the good work the Girls' club of Deerwood is daily accomplishing.

Miss Edith Emilson of Brainerd, was in Deerwood Wednesday on her way to Crosby.

A. W. Miller and M. D. Stoner of the Cuyuna Range Power company are buying logs to be cut in the spring by their sawmill at Deerwood. They have at present received 100,000 feet of logs. The lumber cut

will be used for gates, flash boards, etc., at their dam now building on the Crow Wing river. They are paying \$15 a thousand for white oak, \$11 for red oak and white pine, \$10 for basswood, norway and jack pine, \$8 for ash and birch and \$7 for elm and popple.

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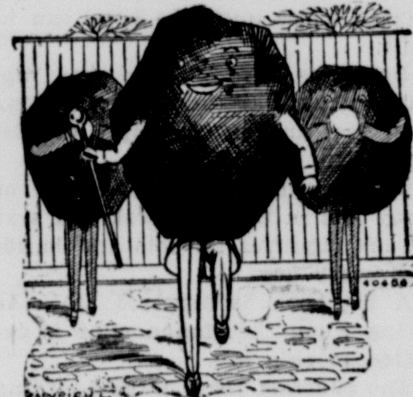
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